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1. [ ] As last amended, the title has been changed to \_\_\_\_\_.
2. [ ] As last amended, the name of applicant has been changed to \_\_\_\_\_.
3. [X] Enclosed is [X] a copy of the oath or declaration as filed in the prior application or [ ] a new oath or declaration.
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8. [ ] Priority of application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.
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10. [ ] An appointment of associates is enclosed.
11. [X] Address all future communications to Robert M. Trepp, Attorney, IBM Corporation,  
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12. [ ] A preliminary amendment to this application is enclosed.
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